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21 January 2008

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated **18 October 2007** (Paper No./Mail Date 20071003), please amend the above-identified application as set forth below:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins at page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 14 of this paper.